

Society

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A CHRONICLE OF EVENTS WITH SIDE LIGHTS ON THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO MAKE UP WASHINGTON'S COMPLEX AND INTERESTING SOCIAL LIFE

THE President and Mrs. Harding will leave Washington tomorrow for a brief holiday and will be guests of Senator and Mrs. Philander C. Knox, at Valley Forge, Pa., over the week-end. Starting from the White House at 8:30 o'clock President and Mrs. Harding will motor to Valley Forge with Senator and Mrs. Knox, Brig. Gen. C. E. Sawyer and George E. Christian accompanying them.

When they reach the banks of the Susquehanna River, the party will stop for a basket luncheon and they expect to reach Valley Forge some time this afternoon. They will return to Washington on Monday.

The President and Mrs. Harding will be the central figures in the most picturesque and most remarkable event of Music Week. This afternoon a great chorus of 60,000 school children is assembling on the Ellipse to sing to them and surely no Chief Executive ever had a more enthusiastic or more beautiful tribute.

The perfect day brought out an immense crowd of early spectators while the gaily dressed children were moving bits of color that later would be fixed in effective groups. This event has aroused the widest interest and will be remembered as one of the most picturesque features of the whole program of the week. Nothing more typically American could have been devised than this splendid chorus in which the rising generation is greeting the President in songs breathing patriotism and loyalty to national ideals.

After attending the mammoth sing on the Ellipse this afternoon, Mrs. Coolidge will occupy a box at the Belasco Theater for the violin and piano recital to be given by Constance and Charles Seeger. Judge and Mrs. C. C. McChord and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Eyges, old friends from Boston will be with Mrs. Coolidge.

Tonight the Vice President and Mrs. Coolidge will dine with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beale McLean, going afterward to Rear Admiral and Mrs. Robert E. Coontz reception in honor of the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Denby.

KING'S BIRTHDAY. In celebration of the king's birthday, the British Ambassador and Lady Geddes will entertain at dinner tonight at the embassy for fifty guests. The members of the embassy staff will be present, with a number of

persons prominent in the official world. The company will be seated about one large table decked with flowers and with the famous George III plate which is the property of the embassy. The king's health will be drunk with pretty ceremony.

Among the guests will be the Secretary of the Treasury, the Attorney General, the Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Wallace and Princess Bibesco, who is an English woman.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes will move on Monday to Graystone, Mr. and Mrs. Armat's place on the edge of Rock Creek Park, which they have leased for the summer. On Monday, June 13, Mrs. Hughes will be the guest of honor of the National Women's Press Club at luncheon.

Augusto Cochrane de Alencar, the Brazilian ambassador, is at the Ritz-Carlton, New York. He is accompanied by Joaquin de Sousa Leao, second secretary of the embassy.

RECEPTION FOR DENBYS. The Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Denby will be the guests of honor at a reception which Rear Admiral Robert E. Coontz, chief of naval operations, and Mrs. Coontz are giving this evening in the ballroom at Wardman Park Hotel. Seven or eight hundred guests representing official, diplomatic and resident society, will assemble to meet Secretary and Mrs. Denby and, of course, the army and navy will be numerous present, their uniforms adding a picturesque touch of military pomp.

The military note will be carried out in the decorations and the ballroom will be gay with flags and the navy colors in addition to palms and summer flowers. The Navy band will play and dancing will be a pleasant feature of the entertainment.

Mrs. Coontz's sister, Mrs. Hugh Sumner Wyman, is visiting her, having recently arrived from her home on the West coast.

MISS MELLON FETED. Miss Ailsa Mellon, daughter of the Secretary of the Treasury, who is chaperone of her father's household and consequently the youngest "cabin hostess" will be entertained at dinner tonight by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beale McLean, who have asked a large and distinguished company of guests to meet her.

Miss Mellon will be present tonight at the embassy for fifty guests. Likewise the Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes and other members of the cabinet circle. The dinner will

be given at Friendship, the McLean place on the outskirts of Washington, and will be followed by dancing.

Jra Nelson Morris, American minister to Sweden, and Mrs. Morris reached Washington last evening, and are staying at Wardman Park Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lansing will leave Washington shortly after the middle of June to attend the centennial celebration at Amherst College in which Vice President Coolidge, Speaker Gillett and other prominent Amherst "grads" are to take part. After commencement Mr. and Mrs. Lansing will go to their summer home at Henderson Harbor, N. Y., to remain several months. Mrs. Lansing's mother, Mrs. John W. Foster, will go direct to Henderson Harbor.

The entire family is remaining in town until after the commencement exercises at the Army School for Nurses at Walter Reed Hospital, as Miss Natalie Dulles, granddaughter of Mrs. Foster and niece of Mrs. Lansing, is a member of the graduating class. Miss Dulles is the only one of the group of girls well-known in Washington society who entered at Walter Reed during the war who has completed the three-year course. After her graduation she will take a vacation and she expects afterward to take up some sort of public welfare work.

Mrs. Minnigerode Andrews and Mrs. Rose Gouverneur Hoes will go to Camp Benning, Ga., the last of June to attend the graduation exercises at the Infantry School. Mrs. Hoes' son, Lieut. Gouverneur Hoes, and Mrs. Andrews' brother, Lieut. Carl Minnigerode, are students there. Lieutenant Hoes has been ordered to duty in Texas.

Mrs. James M. Carlisle arrived at the Homestead, Hot Springs, yesterday, and will open Rosemary cottage immediately. Mr. Carlisle will join her there at an early date.

Mrs. T. De Witt Talmage has concluded her season in Washington and goes to Newport, where she will spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. William Pitt-Scott, wife of Captain Scott, of the navy.

The White Star liner Olympic, which sails for Cherbourg and Southampton tomorrow, will carry the largest number of first cabin passengers that has been taken out of New York since 1914. On the list of 770 are the names of several residents of Washington. Major General Squier, chief signal officer of the United States army, will go abroad for a short time. Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Boutell are sailing for a summer trip. Mr. and Mrs. Snowden T. Fahnestock, who have many friends in Washington, will be among the 3,000 persons aboard the Olympic.

BRAZILIAN ENVOY BACK. Sebastiao Sampaio, the Brazilian commercial attaché for the United States, Canada, Mexico, and Cuba has returned from Brazil to resume his duties at the Brazilian embassy. Mr. Sampaio left the United States last December on the United States battleship Florida, accompanying the former Secretary of State, Bainbridge Colby, and representing the Brazilian embassy on that official mission to South America. Mr. Sampaio remained in Brazil by order of his government, to make addresses and give lectures on trade relations between Brazil and the United States.

Mr. Sampaio is accompanied by Mrs. Sampaio, nee Sylvia Guanabara, the daughter of the great Brazilian journalist, Senor Alcindo Guanabara, and their two little girls. The family is living at the Connecticut apartment.

Mr. Sampaio, a newspaper man in his country and a former Brazilian consul for our middle West, has been the first vice president of the Brazilian Society of Men of Letters, and

is the correspondent in the United States for the largest paper of Brazil, the Jornal do Commercio. He left last night for New York, where he will today address the Brazilian American Chamber of Commerce, and on June 6, will speak at a joint meeting of representatives of all the coffee organizations in this country.

Miss Josephine McCormick has left for Waynesville, N. C., to join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. McCormick, who will pass the summer there.

with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ferguson. Mrs. Ferguson is Mr. and Mrs. McCormick's daughter. Mr. and Mrs. McCormick and Miss McCormick were in Washington all winter, and had an apartment at the Brighton.

The wedding of Miss Hilah Reeder, of New York and Donald Shields Andrews, of Cleveland, will take place at the Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, on June 7. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Charles (Continued on Page 3.)

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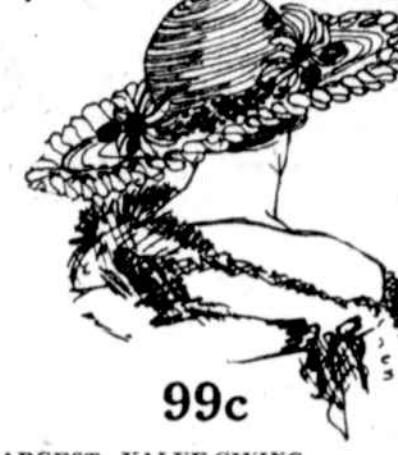
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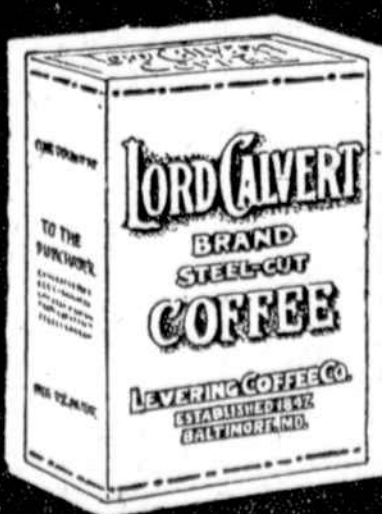
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